



Aging with Dignity

Reporting on key indicators

2025 to 2026



Introduction

The Government of Yukon remains committed to delivering responsive health and social services that place patients, families, caregivers and the dedicated health and social services workforce at the centre of this work.

The [Aging with Dignity agreement](#) with the Government of Canada supports the shared priority of helping people in Canada age with dignity close to home, with access to home care or care in a safe long-term care facility.

The Aging with Dignity agreement is underpinned by the [same key principles and commitments as the Working Together bilateral agreements](#).

Key Indicator report

The time frame used for reporting is the 2025 to 2026 fiscal year. Quarter 1 represents April to June 2025, Quarter 2 represents July to September, Quarter 3 represents October to November, and Quarter 4 represents December 2025 to March 2026.

Rural Community Home Care Enhancements

For the 2025 to 2026 fiscal year Home Care provided home support services in 79% of the rural Yukon communities.

Home care has typically offered home support services in nearly all Yukon communities, however, the homecare program has experienced challenges in maintaining home care services in Yukon's only fly-in community of Old Crow. In 2025-2026, the home care program also experienced challenges offering home support in Pelly Crossing and Carmacks.

Home First and Client Supports Programs

For the 2025 to 2026 fiscal year Home Care supported 45 complex care clients to live at home.



Long-Term Care Standards Program level statistics for infection control in long term care homes

Reporting period	Number of total infections reported across all Long-Term Care Homes
Quarter 1	86
Quarter 2	52
Quarter 3	64
Quarter 4	65

Note: Total infections include, respiratory tract infection, gastrointestinal infection, urinary tract infection, eye and mouth infections, skin infections, and systemic infections.

Long-Term Care hand hygiene overall indication compliance

Reporting period	Long-Term Care Home	Hand hygiene audit compliance (%)
Quarter 1	Alexander McDonald Lodge	66.7
	Thompson Center	60.8
	Copper Ridge Place	77.4
	Whistle Bend Place	89.4
Quarter 2	Alexander McDonald Lodge	80.0
	Thompson Center	85.2
	Copper Ridge Place	81.9



	Whistle Bend Place	83.5
Quarter 3	Alexander McDonald Lodge	N/A
	Thompson Center	75.2
	Copper Ridge Place	75.2
	Whistle Bend Place	84.9
Quarter 4	Alexander McDonald Lodge	N/A
	Thompson Center	81.0
	Copper Ridge Place	78.2
	Whistle Bend Place	82.2



Home First – Rapid Response number of annual rapid response referrals

Reporting period	Nursing referral entries	Occupational Therapist referral entries*	Total
Quarter 1 and 2	27	Q1:36 Q2: 1*	64
Quarter 3 and 4	106	0*	106
2025 to 2026 fiscal year total	133	37*	170
*: Occupational Therapist position became vacant in July 2025; referrals redirected to interdisciplinary teams and not included in these counts.			

Direct Care hours reporting

Reporting Period	Long-Term Care Home	Number of days in reporting period	Percentage of reporting days above 3.5 hours of care per resident per day (%)
Quarter 1	Copper Ridge Place	91	97
	Thomson Centre	91	93
	Whistle Bend Place	91	99
Quarter 2	Copper Ridge Place	85	93

	Thomson Centre	85	97
	Whistle Bend Place	85	98
Quarter 3	Copper Ridge Place	92	97
	Thomson Centre	92	95
	Whistle Bend Place	92	99
Quarter 4	Copper Ridge Place	91	99
	Thomson Centre	91	96
	Whistle Bend Place	91	100

